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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRASILIA 6031

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: TECH ENRG PARM BR
SUBJECT: INFCE - GOB REACTION TO LATEST US PRESENTATION

REF: STATE 164704

1. WE PRESENTED ANSWERS (REFTEL) TO QUESTIONS RAISED
BY HOLANDA CAVALCANTI CONCERNING MAY 30 REVISED INFCE CONCEPT
DOCUMENT, DURING MEETING INTRODUCING NEW POLITICAL
COUNSELOR. AFTER EMBASSY PRESENTATION, CAVALCANTI
SEIZED ON INFORMATION THAT QUOTE PARALLEL PAPER UNQUOTE BEING
PREPARED BY EXPERTS GROUP AND HINTED THAT GOB WAS AWARE OF MORE
SUBSTANTIAL DISAGREEMENT WITH US POSITION AMONG GROUP THAN
EMBASSY PRESENTATION CONVEYED. HE CONVEYED CLEAR IMPRES-
SION THAT GOB WOULD REMAIN UNWILLING TO COMMENT TO US
IN ITS INFCE CONCEPT, STATING THAT GOB VIEWS MAY BE
MORE SIMILAR TO THOSE OF OTHER PARTICIPANTS THAN TO US.

2. CAVALCANTI LAUNCHED INTO PHILOSOPHY OF GOB
POSITION WHICH SEES PROLIFERATION AS BROAD
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PROBLEM IN WHICH IT HAS STRONG AND NUMEROUS
INTERESTS. GOB IS UNSURE YET WHETHER IT IS WILLING
TO PARTICIPATE IN TREATMENT OF ONE PIECE OF PROBLEM
(INFCE) IN ABSENCE OF APPROPRIATE ATTENTION TO
OTHER PARTS (INCLUDING VERTICAL PROLIFERATION).

3. EMBASSY BELIEVES GOB VIEWS MAY NOT BE COMPATIBLE

WITH USG AIMS EXPRESSED IN REFTEL OF REACHING
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON INFCE ON BILATERAL BASIS BEFORE
GENERAL MEETING LAUNCHING PROGRAM. EMBASSY
BELIEVES IT MORE IKELY NOW THAT GOB WOULD ONLY
AGREE TO ATTEND GENERAL MEETING WITHOUT ADVANCE
AGREEMENT WITH US OR GOB COMMITMENT TO PARTICIPATE
IN PROGRAM, WOULD PERFER TO MAKE COMMENT ON
INFCE AND SEEK MODIFICATIONS IN MULTILATERAL
FORUM OF GENERAL MEETING, AND WOULD DEFER GOB
DECISION ON PARTICIPATION UNTIL IT ANALYZED OUTCOME
OF THIS JOINT DEVELOPMENT OF CONCEPT.

4. EMBASSY WILL PRESENT REFTEL INFORMATION DIRECTLY
ALSO TO FONMIN ECONOMIC DEPT (AMB. CABRAL DE MELLO),
WHICH RECEIVED MAY 30 CONCEPT DOCUMENT.
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